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In re Patent Application of:
Yoshinobu Hasuka, *et al.*

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For: IDLE CONTROL SYSTEM FOR FUEL CELL
VEHICLE

FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

SPECIFICATION

There are no amendments to the specification.
 Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.

CLAIMS

There are no amendments to the claims.
 A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.